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# Legal Description of Property

Square:

0491

Lot: 2064

Property Address: 565 Pennsylvania Avenue NW #706

ORIGINAL ASSESSMENT		FINAL ASSESSMENT		
Land	148,140	Land	148,140	
Building	345,660	Building	345,660	
Total	\$ 493,800	Total	\$ 493,800	

#### Rationale:

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Square: 049	91 Lot: 1	2065			
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Legal Descr	ription of Pr	operty			
Square:	0491	Lot: 2	066		
Property Ac	ddress: 565	Pennsylvania Avenue	NW #708		
ORIGINAL ASSESSMENT			FINAL ASSESSMENT		
Land		171,960	Land		171,960
Building		401,240	Building		401,240
Total	\$	573,200	Total	\$	573,200

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Legal Descr	ription of Property				
Square:	0491	Lot: 20	67		
Property Ac	ddress: 565 Penns	sylvania Avenue N	NW #709		
ORIGINAL ASSESSMENT			FINAL ASSESSMENT		
Land	98	3,970	Land		98,970
Building	230	),930	Building		230,930
Total	\$ 329	9,900	Total	\$	329,900

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Lot: 2067

Property Address: 565 Pennsylvania Avenue NW #709

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Square:	0491	Lot: 2	2068			
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Property A		nnsylvania Avenue	2 NW #/10			
	ORIGINAL AS	SESSMENT		FINAL ASSESSMENT		
Land	1	00,320	Land		100,320	
Building	2	234,080	Building		234,080	
Total	\$ 3	34,400	Total	S	334,400	

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## FURTHER APPEAL PROCEDURES

Petitioners have the right to appeal from an adverse decision of the Commission to the Superior Court of the District of Columbia under the applicable provisions of the D.C. Code. Appeals to Superior Court must be filed no later than September 30<sup>th</sup> of the same year. In order to file an appeal with the D.C. Superior Court, petitioners must pay full year taxes to the Office of Tax and Revenue.



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Legal Descr	ription of Proper	ty			
Square:	0491	Lot: 2	2069		
Property Ac	ddress: 565 Peni	nsylvania Avenue	NW #711		
ORIGINAL ASSESSMENT			FINAL ASSESSMENT		
Land	17	78,350	Land		178,350
Building	4	16,150	Building		416,150
Total	\$ 59	94,500	Total	\$	594,500

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Lot: 2069

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Square:	0491	Lot: 2	070		
Property Ac	ddress: 565 Penns	sylvania Avenue	NW #712		
ORIGINAL ASSESSMENT			FINAL ASSESSMENT		
Land	100	6,050	Land		106,050
Building	24	7,450	Building		247,450
Total	\$ 353	3,500	Total	\$	353,500

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		Date:	December 19, 2012		
Legal Desci	ription of P	Property			
Square:	0491	Lot: 20'	71		
Property Ac	ddress: 56	5 Pennsylvania Avenue N	NW #713		
ORIGINAL ASSESSMENT			FINAL ASSESSMENT		
Land		109,140	Land		109,140
Building		254,660	Building		254,660
Total	\$	363,800	Total	\$	363,800

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0491

Lot: 2071

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Square:	0491	Lot: 20	072		
Property Ac	ldress: 565 Per	nnsylvania Avenue l	NW #714		
ORIGINAL ASSESSMENT			FINAL A	ASSESSMENT	
Land	2	247,350	Land		247,350
Building	5	577,150	Building		577,150
Total	\$ 8	324,500	Total	\$	824,500

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Square:	0491	Lot: 2	073		
Property Ac		nnsylvania Avenue	NW #801		
ORIGINAL ASSESSMENT			FINAL ASSESSMENT		
Land	2	270,270	Land		270,270
Building	6	30,630	Building		630,630
Total	\$ 9	000,900	Total	\$	900,900

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0491

Lot: 2073

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Property Ac	ddress: 56	5 Pennsylvania Avenue	NW #802		
ORIGINAL ASSESSMENT			FINAL ASSESSMENT		
Land		270,060	Land		270,060
Building		630,140	Building		630,140
Total	\$	900,200	Total	\$	900,200

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Property Ac	ddress: 56:	5 Pennsylvania Avenue	NW #803		
		L ASSESSMENT		FINAL	ASSESSMENT
Land		177,240	Land		177,240
Building		413,560	Building		413,560
Total	\$	590,800	Total	\$	590,800

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Property Ac	ddress: 565 Pennsylvania	Avenue NW #804			
ORIGINAL ASSESSMENT		NT	FINAL ASSESSMENT		
Land	184,080	Land	184,080		
Building	429,520	Building	429,520		
Total	\$ 613,600	Total	\$ 613,600		

## Rationale:

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Property Address: 565 Pennsylvania Avenue NW #804

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Legal Descr	ription of Property	-		
Square:	0491 Lo	t: 2077		
Property A	ddress: 565 Pennsylvania Ave	enue NW #805		
	ORIGINAL ASSESSMENT		FINAL ASSESSMEN	T
Land	168,000	Land	168,000	
Building	392,000	Building	392,000	
Total	\$ 560,000	Total	\$ 560,000	

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Lot: 2077

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Square:	0491 Lot: 2078					
Property Ac	ddress: 565 Penn	sylvania Avenue	NW #806			
ORIGINAL ASSESSMENT			FINAL ASSESSMENT			
Land	14	8,140	Land		148,140	
Building	34	5,660	Building		345,660	
Total	\$ 49	3,800	Total	\$	493,800	

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Lot: 2078

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Square:	0491 Lot: 2079					
Property Ac	ddress: 565 Pen	nsylvania Avenue	NW #807			
	ORIGINAL AS			FINAL A	ASSESSMENT	
Land	1	45,950	Land		145,950	
Building	3-	40,550	Building		340,550	
Total	\$ 4	86,500	Total	\$	486,500	

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Square:	0491	Lot: 2	2080		
Property Ac	ddress: 56:	5 Pennsylvania Avenue	NW #808		
		L ASSESSMENT		FINAL A	ASSESSMENT
Land		171,960	Land		171,960
Building		401,240	Building		401,240
Total	\$	573,200	Total	\$	573,200

### Rationale:

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Square:	: 0491 Lot: 2081					
Property A	ddress: 565 Penr	nsylvania Avenue	NW #809			
	ORIGINAL ASS	SESSMENT		FINAL A	ASSESSMENT	
Land	9	98,970	Land		98,970	
Building	23	0,930	Building		230,930	
Total	\$ 32	9,900	Total	\$	329,900	

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Lot: 2081

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Square:	Square: 0491 Lot: 2082					
Property Ac	ddress: 56	5 Pennsylvania Avenue	e NW #810			
		L ASSESSMENT		FINAL	ASSESSMENT	
Land		100 220	T 1		100.000	
Land		100,320	Land		100,320	
Building		234,080	Building		234,080	
Total	\$	334,400	Total	S	334,400	

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Legal Descr	ription of Pi	roperty			
Square:	0491	Lot: 2	083		
Property Ac	ddress: 565	5 Pennsylvania Avenue	NW #811		
	ORIGINAL	L ASSESSMENT		FINAL A	ASSESSMENT
Land		178,350	Land		178,350
Building		416,150	Building		416,150
Total	\$	594,500	Total	\$	594,500

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Property Address: 565 Pennsylvania Avenue NW #811

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Legal Desc	ription of Prop	perty			
Square:	0491	Lot: 2	2084		
Property A	ddress: 565 P	ennsylvania Avenue	e NW #812		
		ASSESSMENT		FINAL A	ASSESSMENT
T 1		104.050			
Land		106,050	Land		106,050
Building		247,450	Building		247,450
Total	\$	353,500	Total	\$	353,500

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Legal Descr	ription of Prope	rty				
Square:	quare: 0491 Lot: 2085					
Property Ad	ldress: 565 Pen	nsylvania Avenue	e NW #813			
	ORIGINAL AS	SESSMENT		FINAL A	ASSESSMENT	
Land	1	09,140	Land		109,140	
Building	2	54,660	Building		254,660	
Total	\$ 3	63,800	Total	\$	363,800	

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Legal Descr	ription of l				
Square:	0491	Lot: 20	086		
Property Ac	ddress: 50	55 Pennsylvania Avenue	NW #814		
ORIGINAL ASSESSMENT			FINAL ASSESSMENT		
Land		247,350	Land		247,350
Building		577,150	Building		577,150
Total	\$	824,500	Total	s	824,500

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Square:	0491	Lot: 2	2087		
Property A	ddress: 565 P	ennsylvania Avenue	e NW #901		
1		ASSESSMENT		FINAL A	ASSESSMENT
Land		264,330	Tond		264.220
Land		204,330	Land		264,330
Building		616,770	Building		616,770
Total	\$	881,100	Total	\$	881,100

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IN ACCORDANCE WITH Section 47.825.1 of the District of Columbia Statutes you Are hereby notified of your assessment for the current year **2013** as finalized by the Real Property Tax Appeals Commission for the property described. If YOU WISH TO APPEAL THIS ASSESSMENT FURTHER, SEE THE INFORMATION BELOW

		Date	: December 19, 2012		
Legal Descr	ription of Pr	operty			
Square:	0491	Lot: 2	088		
Property Ac	ddress: 565	Pennsylvania Avenue	NW #902		
	ORIGINAI	ASSESSMENT		FINAL A	ASSESSMENT
Land		213,180	Land		213,180
Building		497,420	Building		497,420
Total	\$	710,600	Total	\$	710,600

#### Rationale:

The subject property is a 135 unit apartment building which was constructed in 2007-2008. Originally planned to be sold as condominium units, the owner decided to hold and operate the property as a rental project (as a single economic unit) due to poor marketing conditions at that time. The property is well located in the Downtown CBD and is within two blocks of US Capitol. The building is considered a trophy building and monthly rentals are reportedly among the highest in the city. The Petitioner's appeal and estimate of value is based on the results of his own valuation using The Income Approach and a Sales Comparison Approach.

The Petitioner's Sales Comparison Approach utilizes sales of individual condo units from other condominium projects. The Commission rejects the comparisons due to the fact that the subject property, although a condominium, is assessed as a single economic unit rental building by the OTR. The OTR's policy is to refrain from assessing such properties as condominiums when they are held and operated as rental properties. These properties will only be assessed as condominiums when the project begins to sell the individual units as condominiums.

Square:

0491

Lot: 2088

Property Address: 565 Pennsylvania Avenue NW #902

the subject property, though assessed as a rental apartment building, is a condominium regime, a fact which should not be overlooked in the valuation process.

In addition to the subject's strategic location, quality of the improvements, amenities, condition, and strong income stream, the owner has the ability to sell the individual apartment units on the open market without having to go through the lengthy and often difficult process of conversion. The Commission therefore recognizes that the subject property has far less inherent risk in ownership than the typical rental apartment building without a condominium regime in-place. For this reason, the OTR's use of a lower capitalization rate appears to be justified in this particular case. The Commission therefore deems the value estimate produced by the OTR to be the best reflection of the property's market value as a single economic unit. The proposed assessment is hereby sustained for TY 2013.

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	ORIGINAL ASS			FINAL A	ASSESSMENT
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Building	35	57,490	Building		357,490
Total	\$ 51	0,700	Total	\$	510,700

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